

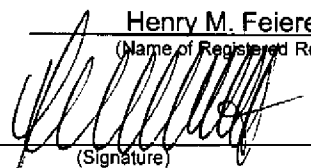
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Docket No.: BARTH-2

In re PATENT Application of: RAINER BARTH)	
)	Examiner: Jerry B. Dennison
)	Group Art Unit: 2443
Appl. No.: 10/659,766)	
Filed: September 10, 2003)	Confirmation No.: 4858
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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above application in response to the Official Action of November 20, 2009, having a shortened period for response terminating February 22, 2010.

The Commissioner has been petitioned to extend the period for response to above-referenced Official Action by ONE month until March 22, 2010, and the appropriate extension fee has been paid together with applicant's communication of February 23, 2010.

1. **Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
 - i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116, previously filed on .
 - ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on .
 - iii. ☐ Other
- b. ☒ Enclosed
 - i. ☒ Amendment/reply.
 - ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
 - iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
 - iv. ☐ Other

2. **Miscellaneous**

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. §1.103 (c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)
- b. ☐ Other

3. **Fees** The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. §1.114 when the RCE is filed.

- ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 06-0502.
- ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
- ☐ Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17)
- ☐ Other
 - ☐ Check in the amount of \$ enclosed
 - ☒ Payment by credit card

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 06-0502.

Respectfully submitted,

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